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Employment

2016–	Junior Faculty Fellow, the Institute for the Study of Markets and Ethics, McDonough School of Business, Georgetown University
2015–2016	Postdoctoral Research Associate, the Political Theory Project, Brown University
2008–2014	Operations Officer, Central Intelligence Agency
2001–2005	US Navy officer

Areas of Study

AOS	Epistemology, Political Philosophy, and PPE
AOC	Ethics, Global Justice, and Logic

Education

2015	PhD, Philosophy, Tulane University Dissertation: *The Just and Meritocratic State* Committee: Eric Mack (director), David Shoemaker, Jason Brennan (Georgetown University)
2007	MA, Philosophy, Tulane University
2001	BA, Philosophy, Tulane University

Publications (book)

Under contract *Justice and the Meritocratic State*, Routledge

Publications (journal articles)

2016	A Note on the Epistemology of Disagreement and Politics *Political Theory* 44: 657-63
2015	Disagreement, Peerhood, and Three Paradoxes of Conciliationism *Synthese* 192: 67–78
2015	The Limits of Liberal Tolerance *Public Affairs Quarterly* 29: 277–95
2015	On the Compatibility of Epistocracy and Public Reason *Social Theory and Practice* 41: 458–76
2015	On Harry Frankfurt's "Equality as a Moral Ideal" *Ethics* 125: 1171–73

Publications (book chapter)

Forthcoming What's Wrong with Libertarianism? The Meritocratic Diagnosis
The Routledge Handbook of Libertarianism, eds. J. Brennan, D. Schmidtz, and B. van der Vossen, Routledge

Presentations

May 2017 *Justice and the Meritocratic State*
—GISME manuscript workshop

Mar. 2017 "Just and Efficient Taxation: A Desert-based Approach"
—Inaugural Philosophy, Politics, and Economics Society Conference

Jan. 2017 "Plural Voting for the Twenty-first Century"
—American Philosophical Association Eastern Division Meeting

Oct. 2016 "Just and Efficient Taxation: A Desert-based Approach"
—Normative Business Ethics Workshop, Wharton School of Business

Sep. 2016 "Just and Efficient Taxation: A Desert-based Approach"
—Georgetown Institute for the Study of Markets and Ethics Workshop

Aug. 2016 "Plural Voting for the Twenty-first Century"
—Rocky Mountain Ethics Congress

Jun. 2016 "Meritocratic Distributive Justice"
—Third International Conference on Economic Philosophy

May 2016 "In Defense of Desert"
—Society for Exact Philosophy Annual Conference

Jan. 2016 "Defending Desert from the Left and the Right"
—Political Philosophy Workshop, Brown University

Sep. 2015 "Meritocratic Distributive Justice"
—Political Theory Project invited workshop, Brown University

Apr. 2015 Comments on Daniela Goya-Tocchetto and Thomas Nadelhoffer's "The Lottery of Life and Moral Desert: An Interdisciplinary Investigation"
—Meeting of the Southern Society for Philosophy and Psychology

Mar. 2015 "Epistemic Modesty and Political Participation"
—Mississippi Philosophical Association Conference

Nov. 2014 *The Just and Meritocratic State*
—Research in Progress colloquium, Tulane University

Teaching Experience (as instructor of record)

Spring 2017 *Economic Justice*, Georgetown University
Autumn 2016 *Global Justice*, Georgetown University
Spring 2016 *Meritocracy*, Brown University
Summer 2014 *Ethics*, Tulane University
Spring 2014 *Global Justice*, Tulane University

Awards

2014–2015	Graduate Fellowship, the Murphy Institute
2014	Scholarly retreat, *A Studio in the Woods*
2014	Tulane Summer Merit Fellowship Award
2013–2014	Edward Marshall Ballard Memorial Scholarship
2013	William Benjamin Smith Summer Stipend
2008–2014	CIA: Three Exceptional Performance Awards, including one for a major 2011 counterterrorism operation, as well as an award for achievement in foreign language.
2007	Presidential Management Fellowship (declined)
2001–2005	US Navy: Various military decorations.

Academic Service

2014–	Referee for *American Philosophical Quarterly* (2x), *Australasian Journal of Philosophy*, British Society for Ethical Theory, *Business Ethics Quarterly*, *Episteme*, *Erkenntnis*, *Ethical Theory and Moral Practice*, *Philosophia*, *Philosophical Papers*, *Ratio*, *Social Theory and Practice*, *Social Philosophy Today*, and *Synthese* (2x)
2017	Guest Editor, *The Erasmus Journal for Philosophy and Economics* special issue: "On the Very Idea of a Just Wage"
2016	Judge, Civil Liberties & the Market Case Competition
2016	Session Chair, Rocky Mountain Ethics Congress
2016	Session Chair, Society for Exact Philosophy Annual Conference
2014–2015	Secretary, Tulane Philosophical Society; departmental representative to the Tulane Graduate Studies Student Association

Languages

English (native)

Spanish (fluent)

Professional Associations

American Philosophical Association

Association for Political Theory

Philosophy, Politics, and Economics Society

Society for Exact Philosophy

References

Jason Brennan, Robert J. and Elizabeth Flanagan Family Chair and Provost's Distinguished Associate Professor of Strategy, Economics, Ethics, and Public Policy

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